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For: CHARGE CONTROLLING )  
AGENT CONTAINING NOVEL )  
POLYHYDROXYALKANOATE )  
CONTAINING UNIT )  
CONTAINING CARBOXYL )  
GROUP ON SIDE CHAIN IN )  
MOLECULE, TONER BINDER )  
AND TONER, AND IMAGE )  
FORMATION METHOD AND )  
IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS )  
USING TONER ) September 22, 2005

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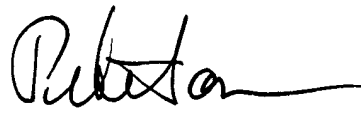
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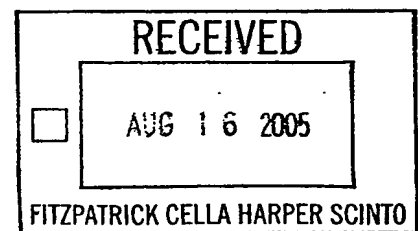
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